

Private Law 91-209

AN ACT

For the relief of Lawrence Brink and Violet Nitschke.

December 19, 1970
[H. R. 4634]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) except as otherwise provided in subsection (b) of this Act, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Violet Nitschke the sum of \$6,700 in full settlement of all her claims against the United States and against Lawrence Brink arising out of an accident which occurred in the vicinity of Pierre, South Dakota, in 1959 when the said Lawrence Brink was operating a Government motor vehicle in the course of his duties as an employee of the Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army, and in full satisfaction of the judgment and costs entered against the said Lawrence Brink in the courts of South Dakota.

Lawrence Brink
and Violet
Nitschke.

(b) Such sum of \$6,700 shall be reduced by the amount of any payments made by the said Lawrence Brink to the said Violet Nitschke on account of the judgment and costs entered against the said Lawrence Brink in the courts of South Dakota.

(c) No part of the amount appropriated in this section in excess of 25 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with such claims and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this subsection shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

SEC. 2. (a) The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the said Lawrence Brink the sum of any amounts paid by the said Lawrence Brink to the said Violet Nitschke on account of the judgment and costs referred to in the first section of this Act. Such payment shall be in full satisfaction of all claims of the said Lawrence Brink against the United States for reimbursement of amounts paid by him to the said Violet Nitschke on account of the judgment and costs referred to in the first section of this Act.

(b) No part of the amount appropriated in this section in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with such claims, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this subsection shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

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Private Law 91-210

AN ACT

To require the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission to reopen and redetermine the claim of Julius Deutsch against the Government of Poland, and for other purposes.

December 19, 1970
[H. R. 7267]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, notwithstanding any prior decision of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission, the Commission is authorized and directed to reopen and redetermine,

Julius Deutsch.

after hearing, the claim of Julius Deutsch against the Government of Poland based upon the claim of said Julius Deutsch of a 50 per centum interest in the Polish corporation, "Lenko" S.A. Any award made by the Commission after said redetermination shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury from the Polish Claims Fund to the same extent as if said award had been made prior to March 31, 1966.

Approved December 19, 1970.

Private Law 91-211

AN ACT

For the relief of Frances von Wedel.

December 19, 1970
[H. R. 10153]

Frances von
Wedel.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of the net proceeds of any interest representing vested property held in the United States Treasury, the sum of \$35,625.11 to Frances von Wedel, of Staten Island, New York, in accordance with the opinion rendered in the congressional reference case, Frances von Wedel versus the United States, numbered 1-67, filed on January 6, 1969, by the Chief Commissioner of the Court of Claims. The amount stated in this Act is to be paid to the said Frances von Wedel in full settlement of her claims against the United States for the return of money and proceeds of securities vested in and transferred to the Attorney General of the United States pursuant to vesting order numbered 10108 dated November 13, 1947, issued under the authority of the Trading With the Enemy Act, as amended.

40 Stat. 411.
50 USC app. 1.

No part of the amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 20 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved December 19, 1970.

Private Law 91-212

AN ACT

For the relief of Mrs. Francine M. Welch.

December 19, 1970
[H. R. 12173]

Francine M.
Welch.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Francine M. Welch, Torrejon Air Base, Spain, is relieved of liability to the United States in the amount of \$5,568.74, representing the total amount of living quarters allowance paid to her by the Department of the Air Force during the period of July 20, 1964, through March 8, 1969, as a result of erroneous payment without fault on her part. In the audit and settlement of the accounts of any certifying or disbursing officer of the United States, credit shall be given for amounts for which liability is relieved by this section.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the said Francine M. Welch, an amount equal to the aggregate of the amounts paid by her, or withheld from sums otherwise due